

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of :  
Young-Hee YU :  
Serial No.: : Group Art Unit:  
Filed: [case\_filing\_date] : Examiner:  
For: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING TEMPERATURE OF INJECTION  
MOLDING MACHINE USING TEMPERATURE CONTROLLER

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claim 3 as follows:

3. A device [according to claim 1 or 2] according to claim 1, wherein a check valve is provided at a rear end of the solenoid valve.

Please add new Claim 8:

8. A device according to claim 2, wherein a check valve is provided at a rear end of the solenoid valve.

The amendments to Claims 3 and 8 are attached in Appendix A.

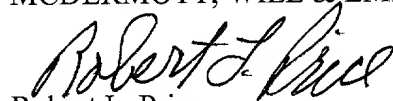
REMARKS

The above-referenced application is amended to delete the multiple dependency of claim

3 to avoid the multiple dependent claim filing fee.

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## APPENDIX A

### IN THE CLAIMS:

3. A device according to claim 1, wherein a check valve is provided at a rear end of the solenoid valve.

8. A device according to claim 2, wherein a check valve is provided at a rear end of the solenoid valve.

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